

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 862

H. P. 637

House of Representatives, February 2, 1965

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

JEROME G. PLANTE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Hunter of Clinton.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Arrests for Motor Vehicle Violations.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., T. 29, § 2301, amended. The last 2 sentences of section 2301 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes are amended to read as follows:

'If a person fails to appear in court on the day specified, either in person or by counsel, the court shall notify the Secretary of State, who shall immediately suspend or revoke his license, if licensed in this State, or suspend or revoke his right to operate motor vehicles in this State, if a nonresident and not licensed in this State and also suspend the registration of the motor vehicle driven by such person when arrested, if said motor vehicle is registered in this State by such person. The Secretary of State may suspend the registration of the motor vehicle driven by such person when arrested, if said motor vehicle is registered in this State by other than the operator of said motor vehicle, provided he first gives 7 days' notice of his intention to do so. It shall be the duty of the State Police officer making any arrest to send a duplicate summons to the owner of the motor vehicle, if the operator is not the owner, within 48 hours.'